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INFORMATION FOR AND ABOUT  
FULTON STATE HOSPITAL

## *Mission Goal Awards Ceremony Held*

On March 3, 2009, the Spiritual Development Committee celebrated with the staff and community by holding its annual Awards Ceremony and Celebration. This ceremony was attended by approximately 100 staff members and community members to recognize the accomplishments of the various groups who participate each year. Throughout this issue, we will be sharing highlights of this event.

## *Various Projects throughout Hospital Benefits Clients and Community*



The Support Services Employee Council collected used luggage to be distributed to those clients at Fulton State Hospital who had been discharged, they collected and distributed new toys to FSH employees' children in need of assistance during the holidays and also collected school supplies for FSH employees' children to start out the school year.



The Hearnese Executive Committee collected Moser grocery receipts from all around the hospital to benefit NAMI. To date, the committee has submitted receipts totaling \$69,052.95.





## 5<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Special Awards

This year marks the 5<sup>th</sup> year the Spiritual Development has sponsored the Mission Goal Project at Fulton State Hospital. Throughout those five years, staff and clients have partnered together to provide beneficial services not only to staff and clients but also to the surrounding community. Through these efforts, employees' children received the necessary items to begin the school year, received gifts that parents may not have been able to afford due to economic stress.

The community benefitted from these efforts as well. Many groups chose to do projects for SERVE, a non-profit service organization that provides various services for the Fulton Community. Another benefactor from this project was the Callaway County Humane Society. Many animals, whose fate was dependent on the generosity of others, were adopted and

now have a new lease on life. Those who received special awards included the following: G08 Clients and Staff for their Mandala Art Coloring Project, Environmental Services for collecting food for the local food pantry, Support Services Employee Council for their various projects, HPC Behavioral Technicians for their work with the Callaway County Humane Society, HPC Challengers for their work with the American Heart Association, and lastly, BFC Employee Council/BLAST and Canteen for their donations to SERVE. Thank you to all who have participated over the last five years!!!

*If we cannot end now our differences, at least we  
can help make the world safe for diversity.*  
**JOHN F. KENNEDY**

### MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!!

Fulton Mayor will host a Prayer Breakfast on Thursday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Callaway Senior Center, 531 Commons Drive in Fulton. Tickets are \$15 per person and can be purchased at the Kingdom of Callaway Chamber of Commerce. All proceeds will benefit the Callaway Senior Center.

FSH Employee Relations Committee will host a community yard sale on May 1<sup>st</sup> from 7 a.m. until 3 p.m. This will be held on the front lawn of Fulton State Hospital. For more information, contact Raymond Henderson.

Fulton State Hospital will be hosting Business After Hours on September 1<sup>st</sup>. Plans are under way now to showcase Fulton State Hospital to the business community.

The Fulton State Hospital Foundation will be hosting its 3<sup>rd</sup> annual "Bluegrass & BBQ" event on the front lawn of Fulton State Hospital on Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup>.

**REMEMBER:**  
Joint Commission  
is scheduled for  
2009



As many of you are aware, Joint Commission survey is scheduled for sometime in 2009. Preparations are underway for their arrival. Keep checking back often for more news about this visit.



Fulton State Hospital

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# Mission Goal Celebration

2009



Each group who participated in this event was recognized for the importance their time and effort contributed to the Mission, Vision and Values of Fulton State Hospital. Whether it was to collect food items for the local SERVE organization, collecting water bottle labels to be donated to area schools for playground equipment, or involving the clients in projects to beautify the areas in which they live, the hard work of each individual created a partnership for recovery.